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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

Pursuant to the Notification of Missing Requirements filed under 37 C.F.R. § 371 mailed 22 September 2005 (copy attached), enclosed is a copy of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Also enclosed for recordation is the Assignment of this application with attached Recordation Form Cover Sheet. Please record this Assignment and return it to us at your convenience.

Enclosed is our check in the amount of **\$170.00** to cover the fee associated with the late filing of the Declaration (\$130.00) and the Assignment recordation fee (\$40.00).

If Applicant has not paid a sufficient fee to prevent the abandonment of this application, please charge our Deposit Account No. 08-0750 for any further fees which may be due. A duplicate copy of this Response is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designsted / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the international Application filed on 05/20/2005
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The applicant rieds to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following it ms **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance unler 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the liternational application number and international filing date.
- To avoil abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or decliration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY & FEES DUE:

Total additions fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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• \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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